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# UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SHAWN LAUGHLIN-MAGNUSSON,

No. C 13-3331 MEJ (pr)

Plaintiff,

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

v.

complaint.

JEFF ADACHI, et al.,

Defendants.

On July 17, 2013, Plaintiff Shawn Laughlin-Magnusson filed a <u>pro se</u> civil rights action under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On July 31, 2013, Plaintiff filed this motion to dismiss his

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Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1), a plaintiff may dismiss an action by filing a notice of dismissal before the opposing party serves an answer or a motion for summary judgment. Because the opposing parties in this case have not yet been served, the Court grants Plaintiff's request for voluntary dismissal without prejudice. The Clerk of Court shall terminate all pending motions as moot and close this case. Because Plaintiff has dismissed his complaint very early in the proceedings, the Clerk of Court shall not charge Plaintiff a filing fee.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: August 2, 2013

Maria-Elena James

United States Magistrate Judge